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BREAST CANCER" - Fuqua, et al.

Our Ref. UTSK:348US / Client Ref. 1998-10-US1

Commissioner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) An Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2003;
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